

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
MARSHALL DIVISION**

<p>VIRTAMOVE, CORP.,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Plaintiff,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">v.</p> <p>HEWLETT PACKARD ENTERPRISE COMPANY,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Defendant.</p>	<p>CASE NO. 2:24-cv-00093-JRG (Lead Case)</p>
<p>VIRTAMOVE, CORP.,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Plaintiff,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">v.</p> <p>INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORP.,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Defendant.</p>	<p>CASE NO. 2:24-cv-00064-JRG (Member Case)</p>

DEFENDANT’S NOTICE OF DESIGNATION OF LEAD COUNSEL

COMES NOW, Defendant International Business Machines Corp. (“IBM”) hereby notifies the Court and all parties of record that Todd M. Friedman, Kirkland & Ellis LLP, 601 Lexington Avenue, New York, New York 10022, is designated as lead counsel for Defendant IBM in the above-captioned case.

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